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Hon. Kiyo A. Matsumoto, U.S.D.J.  
U.S. District Court - Eastern District of New York  
225 Cadman Plaza East  
Brooklyn, New York 11201

Re: *U.S. v. Balzano*, Cr. No. 11 CR 32 (KAM)

Dear Judge Matsumoto:

I represent Joseph Collina in the above-captioned matter. I write, respectfully, to request that the Court authorize Mr. Collina to travel to his son's home in the Pocono's for a family gathering the third weekend in January. Mr. Collina plans to leave Toms River on Friday, January 20, 2012 around 1:00 p.m., travel by car 2½ hours to his son's home at 146 Mountainside Drive, Goldsboro, PA and return to Toms River on Sunday, January 22, 2012 around 5:00 p.m.

Allon Lifshitz, A.U.S.A., consents to this request.

Respectfully yours,

*/s/ Jean D. Barrett*  
Jean D. Barrett

JDB/jd

cc: Allon Lifshitz, A.U.S.A. [by ecf]  
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